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This Application is the U. S. national phase of PCT Application No. PCT/CH2005/000078 filed February 11, 2005, claiming a priority date of February 13, 2004, corresponding to Swiss Patent Application No. 00229/04. Some of the references identified on Form PTO/SB/08a were cited either in an International Search Report (ISR) dated July 18, 2005 in the underlying PCT Application. A copy of the ISR is enclosed hereto for the Examiner's convenience.

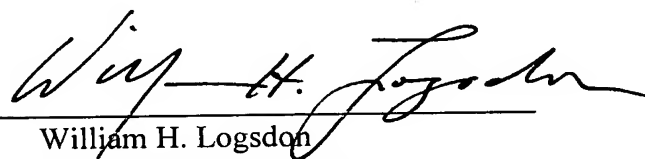
The relevance of WO 2004/011173 and DE 19950401 is indicated in the ISR. The relevance of EP 0774309 is indicated on pages 1 and 2 on the specification of the present application. United States Patent Nos. 5,868,240 and 7,086,425 are enclosed herewith as the corresponding U.S. Patent for EP 0774309 and WO 2004/011173, respectively. An English-language abstract for DE 19950401 is also enclosed.

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